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1. The Military Artillery Academy, which trains young men for future commanding posts in the various artillery units, is located in Zagreb. The commander, Branko Obradovic, of the Academy was formerly commander of the Artillery Officers' School before it was transferred to Cuprija.
2. Cadets in the school are mainly young men who have graduated from the secondary school (gymnasium), or young men taken from the Armed Units. Among the various instructors in the academy are Major Ivica Jakelic, who studied at the Advanced Artillery School in the Soviet Union, and Major Danilo Asanin. Assistants to the instructors are chosen each year from among the best students. The discipline in the school is very strict, but professional training, as in most Yugoslav schools, suffers because of the extremely heavy curriculum of political indoctrination.
3. The Officers' Artillery School, which was transferred from Zagreb to Cuprija in late 1949, gives courses for platoon officers and for battery, unit, regimental, and brigade commanders.
4. [REDACTED] a non-commissioned officers' school is also located at Cuprija.

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